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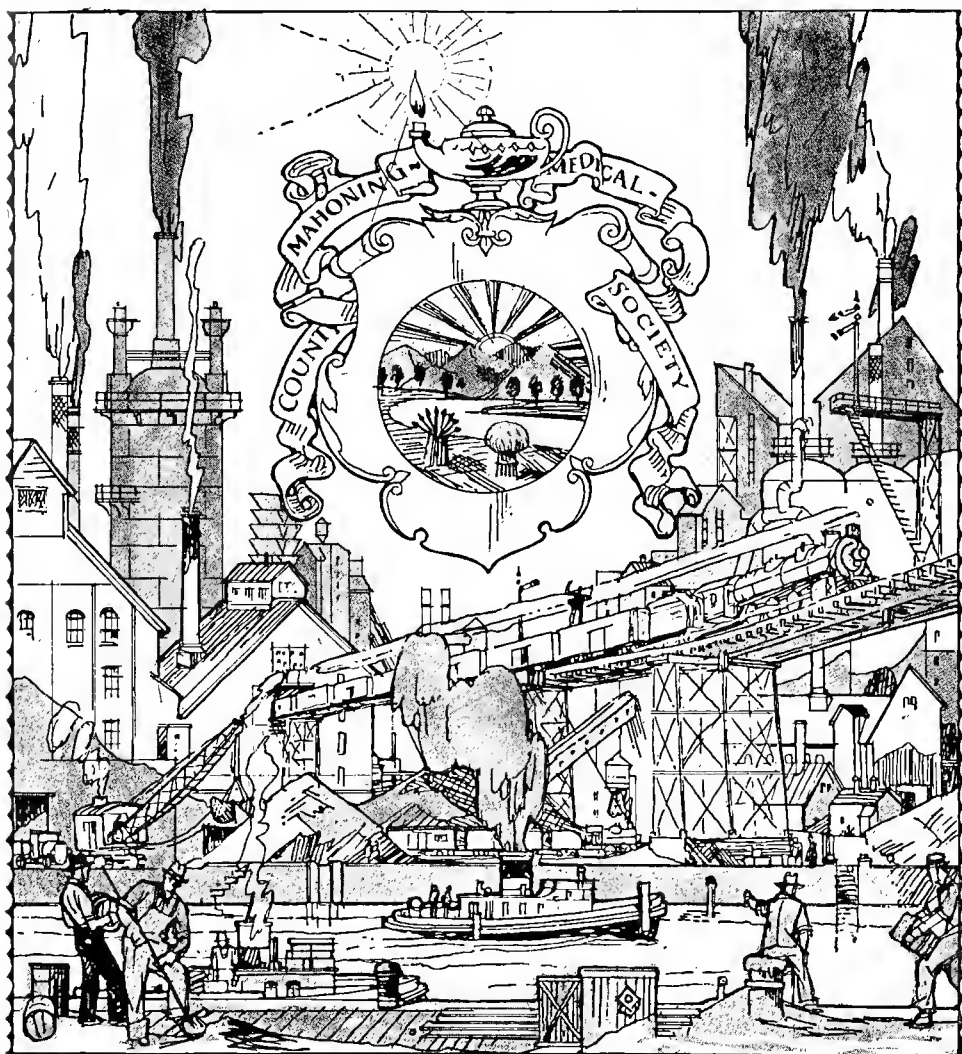
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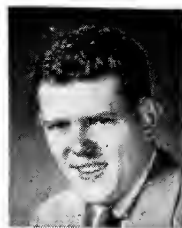
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In Memoriam

DR. THOMAS A. LANDER

Dr. Thomas A. Lander died at the South Side Hospital on September 1, 1963. He was born March 31, 1894 in Chester, South Carolina, where he attended Brainard Presbyterian Institute. His pre-medical years were spent at Lincoln University, another Presbyterian school, in Oxford, Pennsylvania. This religious training showed its imprint in Dr. Lander's great interest in and devotion to the Butler Memorial Presbyterian Church during his entire life in Youngstown. Obstetrics became his other great love. In 1922 he was graduated from the Medical School of Howard University, Washington, D. C. He then interned at Mercy Douglas Hospital in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania and arrived in Youngstown in February, 1924. Since that time, until his last illness, he kept busy proudly counting the many, many babies whom he ushered into this world. Flowers from the staff in St. Elizabeth's delivery room were a much-appreciated evidence of esteem. He conscientiously worked to deserve the appreciation shown to him in many ways by hospital staffs, fellow physicians and patients.

In earlier days Dr. Lander offset the work hours of life by playing tennis and golf and was one of the first to indulge in home movies. A keen sense of humor saved many a day.

His helpmate during thirty-four years of service to the community was his wife, the former Mrs. Blanche Reid Reed, whom he married in 1930. She and a stepson, Air Force Staff Sgt. Leonard H. Reed in Japan will miss him most. They will be joined in regrets of his passing by his friends and the members of the Rising Sun Lodge of Masons, the Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, the Mahoning County Medical Society, the Ohio State Medical Association, the American Medical Association and the American Academy of General Practice.

William R. Smith, M.D.

BUSINESS OCCUPIES SEPTEMBER MEETING

A constitutional amendment was passed, and consideration of the O. M. I. comprehensive insurance plan was tabled for further study, at the Sept. 17 meeting of the Mahoning County Medical Society.

The amendment to the constitution, published in the May issue of the Bulletin, was first read at the April meeting of the Medical Society. It provides for a vote on council by delegates and alternate delegates by making them members of council, and permits delegates to remain on council longer than the six consecutive years enforced on other members of council.

Dr. Edwin R. Westbrook, Sixth District Councilor, and Mr. Frank W. Van Holte, O. M. I. Vice-president, were guests at the meeting and answered questions concerning the new Blue Shield comprehensive contract. The motion to accept the contract was tabled and the president was asked to form a committee to study the plan.

Four members were elected to honorary membership. Dr. L. A. Blum, Dr. J. U. Buchanan, Dr. P. H. Kennedy and Dr. H. S. Zeve were given this honor by unanimous vote.

Ninety-two members attended the meeting at the Mural Room, which was preceded by a buffet dinner. Dr. Asher Randell, president, presided.

ANNUAL BANQUET DATE SET

The date of the next Annual Banquet of the Mahoning County Medical Society has been changed to Saturday, Jan. 18, 1964. The date had previously been announced in the Bulletin as Jan. 25.

FROGS AND FREEDOM

There's an old story that says you can't kill a frog by dropping him in boiling water. He reacts so quickly to the sudden heat that he jumps out before he's hurt. But if you put him in cold water and then warm it up gradually, he never decides to jump till it's too late. By then he's cooked!

Men are just as foolish. Take away their freedom overnight, and you've got a violent revolution. But steal it from them gradually (under the guise of "security", "peace", or "progress") and you can paralyze an entire generation. Look at the income tax. It started out at a harmless sounding 1%. It would have been easy to jump out of water as tepid as this, but like the frog, we waited while it climbed ever higher. (Try jumping now!)

Worst of all, we never learn. Even today we cannot believe that Medicare is the same warm water that will one day boil us in Socialized Medicine. We see no connection between farm price supports and Nationalized Agriculture. And if we draw a parallel between subsidized teachers' pay and federal control of education, we are called "extremist."

The tragedies of history are always repeated by those who refuse to learn them. To seek guidance from the past is not "turning the clock back" as we are so often told. It is merely a good way to keep out of hot water.

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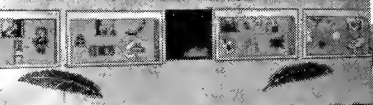
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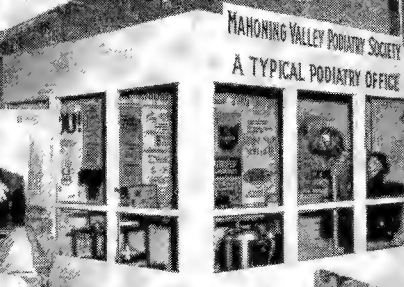
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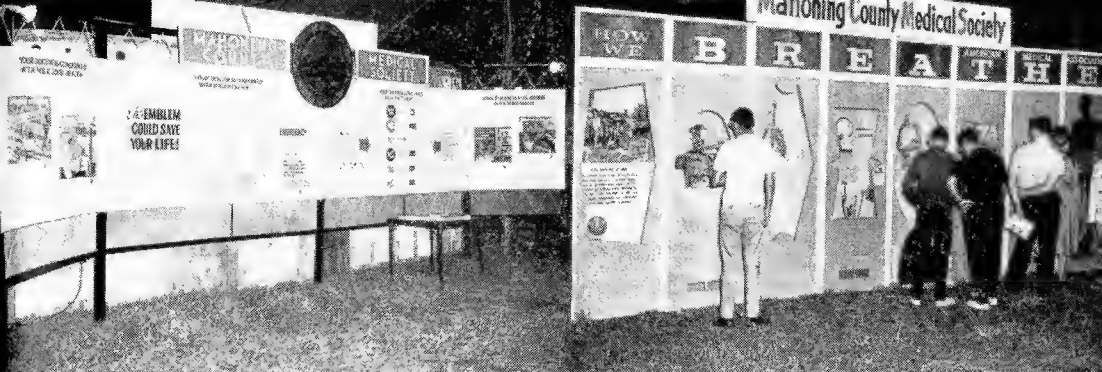


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THOUSANDS SEE MEDICAL EXHIBITS

An estimated 70,000 persons visited the medical health tent during the record-breaking 117th Canfield Fair. An endless amount of good-will was engendered by the participating agencies as people from all over northeastern Ohio and western Pennsylvania flocked about the health exhibits.

Largest exhibit in the tent was the beautiful cardio-vascular display by St. Elizabeth Hospital. The set-up included a small movie theater, where crowds stopped each hour to watch the movie on open heart surgery that was filmed at the hospital by a WKBN-TV newsfilm unit.

Another crowd-stopper was the General Practitioners demonstration on mouth-to-mouth resuscitation. A doctor was on duty at all times to conduct the demonstration and lecture. The booth was supervised by Dr. Friedrich and Dr. Resch.

The Woman's Auxiliary provided a service to teenagers and young adults by giving out information on health careers. Mrs. Berg, assisted by Auxiliary members, nurses and technicians answered questions of hundreds of young people.

The Medical Society, which sponsors the entire health tent, had two exhibits. One was the AMA exhibit, "How We Breathe," which showed the organs of breathing and explained the how and why. The other was a local exhibit based on the theme, "Your Doctor's Concern." Included in this exhibit was a resume of the Kerr-Mills Law and the King-Anderson Bill, and a presentation on the new AMA medical emergency emblem.

Throughout the entire tent, exhibitors surpassed previous efforts to present colorful, attractive and well-lighted displays. Few persons could walk through the tent without realizing that physicians, hospitals, and health agencies in Mahoning County were working hard to improve health care for the general public.

Along with the Mahoning County Medical Society, exhibitors included: The American Academy of General Practice, Mahoning Chapter; Youngstown Society for the Blind; Blue Cross-Blue Shield; Mahoning Cancer Society; United Cerebral Palsy Assn.; Corydon-Palmer Dental Society; Youngstown Hearing and Speech Center; Youngstown Area Heart Assn.; Mental Health Assn. of Mahoning County; Mahoning County Chapter of Muscular Dystrophy; Planned Parenthood Assn. of Youngstown; Mahoning Valley Podiatry Society; Safety Council of Greater Youngstown; St. Elizabeth Hospital; TB and Health Assn.; and the Woman's Auxiliary to the Mahoning County Medical Society.

The health tent was under the supervision of Dr. H. P. McGregor, chairman of the Canfield Fair Committee, assisted by Dr. C. K. Walter, Dr. Jack Schreiber, Dr. R. R. Fisher and Dr. F. A. Resch.

OUT PATIENT DIAGNOSTIC BENEFITS

Many physicians point to the need for out-patient diagnostic benefits in the hospitalization and surgical contracts. Since September 1, 1956, Associated Hospital Service, Inc. (Youngstown Blue Cross) has been offering a contract which provides the following diagnostic services performed in the out-patient department of a hospital:

X-ray examinations with films, basal metabolism tests, electrocardiograms and electroencephalograms, but excluding work-up procedures performed in the out-patient department when the patient is to be admitted as an in-patient.

At the same time Blue Shield of Cleveland (Cleveland Medical Mutual) is providing benefits for diagnostic examination, either in or out of the hospital, when made or ordered by a licensed physician, up to the maximum amounts indicated but in no event greater than the physician's charge for such examinations:

<i>Examination</i>	<i>Maximum Allowance</i>
Electroencephalogram -----	\$25.00
Electrocardiogram -----	\$15.00
Basal Metabolism -----	\$10.00

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There are a great number of groups which are already enrolled on these these contracts.

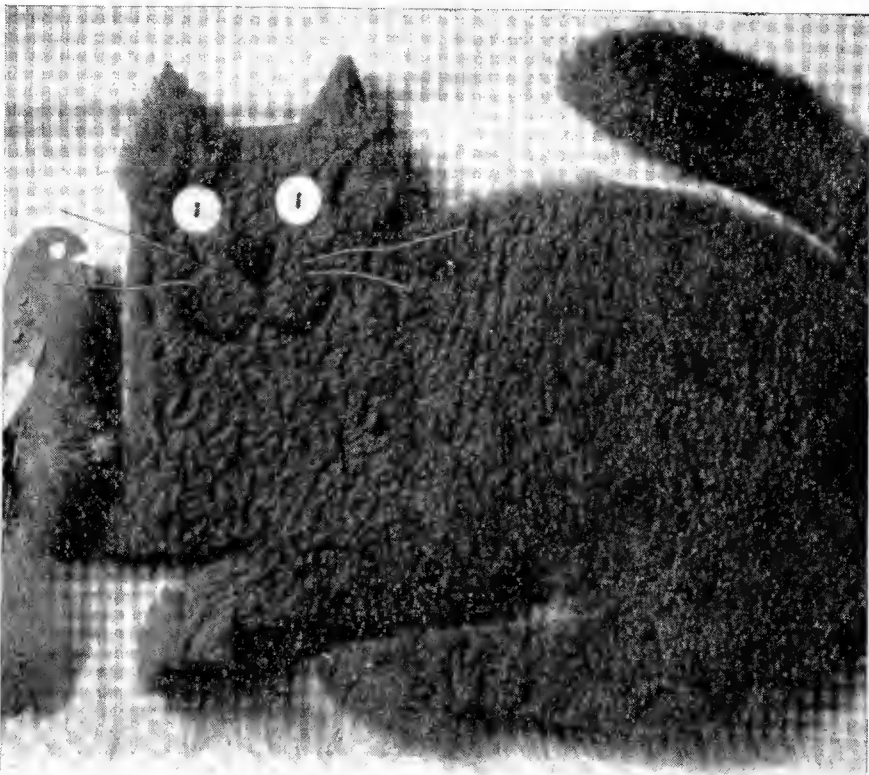
For the information and assistance of the physicians, a list of the groups covered under Youngstown Blue Cross that provide for these benefits is listed below.

It should be noted that, not in all cases is their surgical plan written by Blue Shield of Cleveland (Cleveland Medical Mutual). In some instances, it may be written by an insurance company.

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Cost for the twelve lectures will be \$15.00 per person, or \$25.00 per couple. Reservations can be made with the Mahoning County Medical Society. All meetings will be on Thursdays at St. Elizabeth Hospital Auditorium, with time out for Thanksgiving and Christmas holidays.

Following is the lecture schedule:

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2. What "The Method" is and why. Mr. Arthur Sircom and guests. 21 November, 1963.

Thanksgiving

3. Directing a Play—From the Page to the Stage. Mr. Arthur Sircom. 5 December, 1963.
4. The Art of Comedy. Mr. Arthur Sircom and guests. 12 December, 1963.

Christmas

5. Acting and Stage Presence. Mr. Arthur Sircom and guests. 9 January, 1964.
6. Success Stories of Some Stars. Mr. Arthur Sircom. 16 January, 1964.
7. Modern Musicals. Mr. Arthur Sircom. 23 January, 1964.
8. Emotional Release and Spiritual Uplift. Mr. Arthur Sircom and guests. 30 January, 1964.
9. Arena Type Staging vs. Proscenium Staging. Mr. Arthur Sircom. 6 February, 1964.
10. Audience Reactions in New York and other cities. Mr. Arthur Sircom. 13 February, 1964.
11. Stage Scenery, Lighting, and Make-Up. Mr. Joe Koornich, Mr. Eddie Lane. 20 February, 1964.
12. Television—The New Entertainment Medium. Mr. Martin Magner. 27 February, 1964.

NOMINATIONS UNDER OLD RULES

Despite Society approval of an amendment to the constitution affecting the make-up of council (see the September meeting article elsewhere in the Bulletin), the November nominations will probably be conducted in accordance with the old constitution.

In order to become effective, any constitutional amendment must have the approval of the Ohio State Medical Association. Due to a long three-day meeting in September, the council of the OSMA is not scheduled to convene again until December. Unless there is need for a special meeting, council members will not get together in time to OK the constitutional amendment before the November meeting of the Mahoning County Medical Society.

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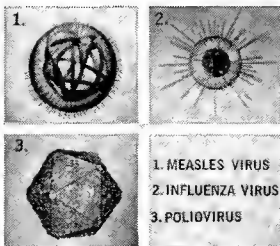
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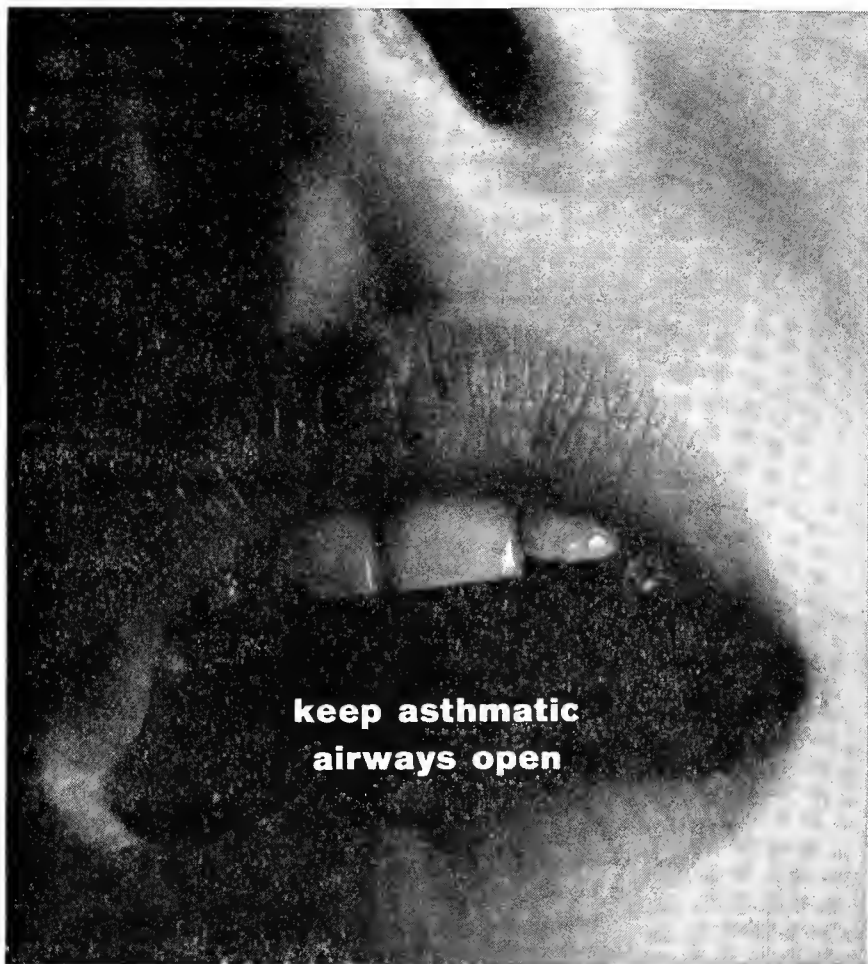
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POSTGRADUATE SPEAKERS ANNOUNCED

As usual, the Sixth District Postgraduate Day offers an outstanding group of speakers. Those attending the one day session at Packard Music Hall in Warren, Wed., Oct. 23, will hear the following:

NAME	AFFILIATION AND FIELD OF SPECIALTY
Daniel Federman, M.D.	Asst. in Medicine Mass. General Hospital Instructor in Medicine Harvard Medical School
Perry J. Culver, M.D.	Co-author, Paige & Culver Syllabus of Lab. Examination Instructor, Harvard Medical School Staff, Mass. General Hospital
Paul R. Glunz, M.D.	Armed Forces Institute of Pathology Acting Chief of Hepatic Branch
Adolph Haas, M.D.	Assistant Prof. of Psychiatry O. S. U. College of Medicine
Alton Goldbloom, M.D.	Emeritus Professor of Pediatrics McGill University, Montreal, Canada
Richard Goldbloom, M.D.	Associate Professor of Pediatrics McGill University, Montreal, Canada
Samuel P. Harbison, M.D.	Chairman, Dept. of Surgery U. of Pittsburgh Medical School Sec. A. C. S.
Wm. B. Kiesewetter, M.D.	Surgeon in Chief, Children's Hospital U. of Pittsburgh
Wm. Stanley Smith, M.D.	Chairman, Dept. of Orthopedics U. of Michigan Formerly Chairman, Dept. of Ortho. Ohio State University
Stanley O. Hoerr, M.D.	Chief, Dept. of Surgery Cleveland Clinic
Edward T. Peter, M.D.	Instructor in Surgery University of Minnesota Hospitals
A. Rakoff, M.D.	Professor of Gyn. Endocrinology Jefferson Medical School
J. Sternberg M.D.	Professor of Physiology Nuclear Med. Montreal Medical School
S. Behrman, M.D.	Professor, OB & Gyn. Michigan Medical School
Robin Anderson, M.D.	Chief, Department of Plastic Surgery Cleveland Clinic Hospital
C. H. Hendricks, M.D.	Assoc. Professor, OB-Gyn. Western Reserve University
Thomas Morse, M.D.	Assoc. Professor, Surgery Children's Hospital Ohio State University

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Ohio State Medical Association

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8:30- 9:30—Cineclinics
OB-Gyn

Caesarean Hysterectomy

Dr. Edward Davis—Chicago Lying-in Hospital

9:30-10:40—Medical

MEDICAL GENETICS

Dr. Federman (Not Panel)

9:30-10:40—Surgical &
Pediatric

COMMON PROBLEMS IN PEDIATRIC SURGERY

(A panel of well known pediatric surgeons discuss such problems as hernias, obstructions, recurrent abdominal pain, congenital lesions, fluid and electrolyte problems and post-operative complications. An excellent opportunity to bring your particular problem for the question and answer period.)

Dr. Kiesewetter—Moderator

Dr. Anderson

Dr. R. Goldbloom

Dr. Morse

9:30-10:40—Obstetrical &
Gynecological

USES OF THE NEW PROGESTATIONAL HORMONES

(This panel will try to answer your every day problems in the use of Enovid, Provera, Norlutate, and others for the treatment of menstrual irregularities, infertility, family planning and pregnancies)

Dr. Rakoff—Moderator

Dr. Hendricks

Dr. Behrman

9:30-10:40—Orthopedic
Surgery

FRACTURES OF THE WRIST

(Dr. Wm. Smith, Chief of Orthopedic Surgery, U. of Michigan, discusses management and methods of treating fractures of wrist)

Dr. Smith (Not Panel)

11:00-12:30—Medical

USE AND ABUSE OF TRANQUILIZERS

(When and when not to—Why and why not to)

Dr. Haas (Not Panel)

11:00-12:30—Surgical &
Medical

MANAGEMENT OF DUODENAL ULCER

(A distinguished panel discusses their own theories as to best treatment for duodenal ulcers. Dr. Culver discusses the medical management, Drs. Hoerr and Harbison discuss surgical management (vagotomy and pyloroplasty vs. gastric resection), and Dr. E. T Peter from Owen Wangenstein's Clinic proposing gastric freezing as treatment of choice. This should be a lively session)

Dr. Hoerr—Moderator

Dr. Peter

Dr. Culver

Dr. Harbison

11:00-12:30—Pediatrics

MALABSORPTION SYNDROME

(The discussion of this paper will present an increasingly more important problem in the field of Pediatrics with emphasis on the newer techniques of diagnosis and treatment)

Dr. R. Goldbloom (Not Panel)

11:00-12:30—Obstetrical &
Gynecological

INDUCTION OF LABOR AND TREATMENT OF INERTIA LABOR

(The use of Tocamine in the labor room for the induction and stimulation of labor. Also the use of Pitocin. Discussion in the diagnosis of inertia labor)

Dr. Hendricks

Dr. Behrman

Dr. Rakoff

GRADUATE DAY

Wednesday, October 23, 1963

PACKARD MUSIC HALL — WARREN, OHIO

11:00-12:30—Surgery—
Orthopedic

DIAGNOSIS OF BONE TUMORS

(Drs. Smith and Sternberg discuss the newer methods of diagnosis using isotopes)

Dr. Smith
Dr. Sternberg

12:30- 1:30—

LUNCHEON

2:00- 3:15—Surgical

HOW I DO IT

(A group of professors tell how they handle the complications of sigmoid diverticulitis, toxic goitre (radioactive iodine vs. surgery), malignancy of breast, acutely inflamed gall bladder, hernias in infants (unilateral vs. bilateral repair), undescended testicle, prolapsed gangrenous hemorrhoids, simple fractures of extremities, and method of cooling or freezing stomachs. Again, an excellent opportunity for bringing your own particular problem to question and answer period)

Dr. Harbison—Moderator
Dr. Klesewetter
Dr. Smith
Dr. Peter
Dr. Hoerr

2:00- 3:15—Pediatrics

THE TONSIL AND ADENOID PROBLEM IN CHILDHOOD

(This will be a refreshing and new outlook on an old problem which faces the practitioner every day)

Dr. A. Goldbloom (Not Panel)

2:00- 3:15—Medical

UNPLEASANT THINGS DRUGS CAN DO TO PEOPLE

(Hepato-toxicity of drugs)
Dr. Glunz (Not Panel)

2:00- 3:15—Obstetrical &
Gynecological

INFERTILITY—ADVANCES IN DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT

(Cervical factors—the antibody—sensitivity—surgical treatment—and many more factors of use to the physician)

Dr. Behrman—Moderator
Dr. Hendricks
Dr. Rakoff

3:30- 5:00—Obstetrical
Gynecological
& Pediatric

EMBRYOPATHIES, CAUSES AND PREVENTIVE MEASURES

(Discussion will include (1) visual and microbial embryopathies—German measles and others, (2) Maternal deficiencies, embryopathies by deficiency, (3) Embryopathies due to drug passage through placenta; thalidomide, aminopterin, busulfan, tolbutamide, etc., (4) Embryopathies provoked by radiation; passage of radioactive iodine through the placenta a direct irradiation of both mother and fetus, (5) radiation protection agents)

Dr. R. Goldbloom
Dr. A. Goldbloom
Dr. Sternberg
Dr. Behrman
Dr. Hendricks

3:30- 5:00—Medical

DYSPHAGIA

Dr. Culver (Not Panel)

7:00 —Banquet

Packard Music Hall

Speaker: **Robert Taft, Jr.**

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(To be introduced by Oliver P. Bolton,
Representative to Congress, 11th District)

PROCEEDINGS OF COUNCIL

Sept. 24, 1963

The regular meeting of the council of the Mahoning County Medical Society was held on Tuesday, Sept. 24, 1963, at the Youngstown Club, Youngstown, Ohio.

The following physicians were present: Asher Randell, president, presiding, G. L. Altman, W. H. Bunn, F. A. Friedrich, S. D. Goldberg, Frank Gelbman, P. J. Mahar, R. B. McConnell, John J. McDonough, H. P. McGregor, H. J. Reese, F. A. Resch, R. J. Scheetz, C. W. Stertzbach, C. C. Wales and C. K. Walter. Also present was Dr. L. Bloomberg. Absent were: B. C. Berg, G. W. Cook, G. E. DeCicco, R. R. Fisher, V. L. Goodwin, C. E. Pichette, and Jack Schreiber.

The meeting was called to order at 7:40 p.m.

The minutes of the May 28th regular meeting and the July 30th special meeting were read and approved.

The following applications were presented by the censors and read by the executive secretary:

ASSOCIATE MEMBERSHIP

Glen J. Baumbblatt, 435 Gypsy Lane, Youngstown, O.
Leonard N. Green, 2136 Glenwood Ave., Youngstown, O.
John C. Melnick, Youngstown Hospital Assn., South Unit.
Rafael Tarnopolsky, 548 Gypsy Lane, Youngstown, O.
Frank C. Tiberio, 1100 Belmont Ave., Youngstown, O.

INTERN-RESIDENT MEMBERSHIP

Manuel G. Abello, Youngstown Hospital Assn.
Estherbelle Aguilar-Heceta, Youngstown Hospital Assn.
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Nabil O. Fahmy, Youngstown Hospital Assn.
Fred C. Hausler, Jr., Youngstown Hospital Assn.
Rosalinda S. Mijares, Youngstown Hospital Assn.
John Brammer Werning, Youngstown Hospital Assn.

The above applicants will become members of the Medical Society within fifteen days after publication in the Bulletin, unless objection is filed in writing with the secretary during that time.

Bills were read. A motion was made, seconded and duly passed that the bills be paid. A list of the bills is attached to the minutes.

The executive secretary reviewed the results of several telephone polls of council that were taken during the summer. A poll to donate money to the HOPE project had been approved by a vote of 10 to 3. The average amount was designated as \$100, and a check for this amount was presented to Dr. McDonough.

Mr. Rempes presented a health insurance pamphlet published by the California Medical Society for possible local adaption. The matter was referred to the insurance committee, Dr. Reese, chairman.

A letter was read from Mrs. Mary B. Herald, executive director of the Medical-Dental Bureau, relative to a new service of the call service to make a daily phone call to elderly people to check on them.

A letter was read from Mr. Charles S. Nelson, executive secretary of the Ohio State Medical Association, announcing that the next scheduled meeting of the state council would be in December, too late to consider the Mahoning constitutional amendment in time for our nominations in November. Dr. Randell read that part of the constitution which stated that the amendment cannot become effective until approval is received from the Ohio State Medical Association.

Dr. Bloomberg presented the following resolution: Be it resolved that the following amendment be adopted by the Mahoning County Medical Society for addition to the constitution of the Society.

A. That a committee be formed for the purpose of nominating the officers and members of council and delegates for the society.

B. This committee should consist of the president, president-elect, the past two presidents of the society, and four additional men (two from each hospital) to be selected by chance.

C. This committee should meet prior to the November meeting for the purpose of nominating a slate of candidates to be presented at the November meeting.

D. Nomination for opposition candidates may be made from the floor at the November and December meetings.

The motion was made and seconded that the resolution be submitted to the constitution and by-law committee. Following discussion, the motion was made and seconded that the original motion be amended that the constitutional committee study the possibilities of several different methods of nominating and submit a report at the October meeting of council. The amendment was passed. The amended motion was passed.

Dr. McGregor made a report on the Canfield Fair medical health tent exhibits. He discussed the problems in arranging the medical health tent each year and the possibility of a permanent building, and expressed satisfaction with the success of the 1963 exhibits. Dr. Scheetz asked that a commendation be made to Dr. McGregor for a job well done, and expressed the thanks of the Medical society.

Dr. McDonough presented a petition with 63 signers asking Youngstown Blue Cross to pay for diagnostic X-rays on an outpatient basis. The motion was made and seconded that Blue Cross be asked to pay for this. Following discussion, a motion was made and seconded asking that debate be limited to five minutes. Motion was defeated. The motion was made and seconded that the original motion be tabled. Motion was defeated. Following discussion, the motion was amended to read that we recommend that Youngstown, Ohio Blue Cross Plan consider payment of diagnostic X-Ray services on a hospital out-patient basis. The matter was also referred to the insurance committee for further study.

Dr. Gelbman requested that outside guests be allowed to attend the seminar provided that they pay the same as members. The motion was made, seconded and duly passed that Dr. Gelbman be given the authority to invite non-members to attend the seminar the same as members.

Dr. Walter made a motion that council instruct the insurance committee to check the Mahoning County Medical Society major medical policy for the possibility of expanding coverage to include those over 70. Motion passed.

An announcement was made that an Indoctrination meeting would be held on Thursday, Oct. 24. Council restated that members were not to become active unless they attended an indoctrination meeting, and that the indoctrination committee chairman was privileged to hold several meetings per year.

Dr. Goldberg announced the date of the medical assistants dinner to be Thursday, Nov. 7, and asked that all doctors cooperate by sending their girls.

Dr. Walter requested a progress report concerning high school athletic injury insurance. Dr. Reese reported on action to date.

Meeting was adjourned.

Howard Rempes, Executive Secretary.

APOTHECARY CORNER

RECENT MEDICAL-PHARMACY LEGISLATION

OHIO STATE: (These bills have already been signed into law!)

1. Effective July 26, 1963 . . . S. B. 86 . . . This law removes the signature requirement on an oral barbiturate prescription and also makes legal the purchase of drugs by law enforcement agents . . . later to be used as evidence in prosecuting the seller.
2. Effective July 26, 1963 . . . H. B. 11 . . . Will remove sales tax from dentist's and podiatrist's prescriptions. The prescriptions from physicians, as you recall, were exempted in legislation passed during the 1961 session of the General Assembly.
3. Effective August 5, 1963 . . . This bill tightens the Narcotic Law. It amends the present law to make it illegal to sign a false name on a narcotic register. This is the nearest to having Paregoric on prescription only, as it requires positive identification of the purchaser.

FEDERAL LEGISLATION

The Food and Drug Administration has ruled (effective August 21, 1963) that all drugs containing or purporting to contain "intrinsic factor" concentrate will be limited to sale only upon prescription. The F.D.A. will also require that any orally administered drug for the treatment or prevention of pernicious anemia bear a warning to physicians stating that some pernicious anemia patients may not respond to such medication. Also, labeling must state that periodic examinations and laboratory studies of pernicious anemia patients are essential and recommended.

—Bob White

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G.P. NEWS

The Mahoning County Chapter of the Ohio Academy of General Practice opened its fall season with a free dinner meeting at the Mural Room for all members.

Presiding at the meeting was Dr. Sidney Keyes, who introduced the guest speaker, Mr. Francis Calkins, office manager of Professional Management of Cleveland, who spoke on Management of Finances.

Delegates W. P. Young, A. Miglets, and R. Fisher gave a report of the proceedings of the O. A. G. P. meeting in Cleveland, Sept. 23rd and 24th.



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Bulletin Board



Another annual St. Elizabeth Hospital Charity Ball is now history, and people are still talking about the lovely decorations. That red and crystal combination was breathtaking.

Dr. Milan Halmos is taking just pride in his son who just left to serve a hitch in the Marine Corps . . . Dr. Angelo Riberi has just returned from a meeting of the International Society of Cardiac Surgeons in Rome. There he addressed this elite group in two languages. Rumor has it that he was calmer during his lectures than during his trans-Atlantic flight. No trained cardiac surgeon should be exposed to such dangers! . . . Dr. Sidney Davidow took a fishing trip to Canada. As of this writing, no tall tales have filtered back . . . Dr. Steve Ondash will be the personal representative of the Very Rev. Paul R. Reinert, President of St. Louis University, at the inauguration of Dr. Robert I. White as the 6th president of Kent State University . . . Dr. Eli Saadi has just returned from Chicago, where he brushed up on all the latest advances. Since his return, he has electrified all of us with his half-hearted EKG interpretations.

Football season is with us once more. Many football experts can be heard in long and serious discussions both in X-ray and the Staff Room. At last word, Dr. Paul Mahar was 25c ahead . . . Dr. Harold Reese is making plans for the big annual Michigan University homecoming Oct. 19 . . . Dr. Ed Pichette is now an official member of the Notre Dame Alumni Annex. His son is a frosh at ND. Ed's Alma Mater is Syracuse, and there will be mixed emotions when these schools meet on the gridiron.

I don't want to close without saying how glad we all are that Chet Loewendorf is with us again after his recent illness. Poor Chester broke down at the prospect of becoming a father-of-the-bride.

—Kurt Wegner, M.D.

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This year's United Appeal Campaign is well under way with Dr. Fred Coombs as chairman of the entire Professional Division and Dr. Gabe DeCicco in charge of The Youngstown Hospital Physicians group. With such leadership we should be able to well increase our contributions over last year's and every single member should remember to do so when he signs his pledge card.

Dr. William Loeser, Director of Medical Education at The Youngstown Hospital Association, participated in a panel discussion on "Internships" at Western Reserve University in Cleveland. Panelists are chosen by the Student Committee on Medical Education at the University and included Dr. Joseph Foley, professor of Neurology at Western Reserve as moderator, and Dr.

Douglass Bond, Dean of the Medical School. The panelists discussed the advantages pro and con of internships in the University Hospitals as compared to internships in community hospitals.

Dr. Bill Flynn has just returned from Washington, D. C., where he participated at a conference whose purpose is to formulate a plan for integrating all of the Health Service Organizations throughout the United States. Dr. Flynn was requested to attend and participate in this long-range planning by the United States Public Health Service. Also on October 5th and 6th, Dr. Flynn and Dr. Robert Jenkins attended the annual meeting of the Ohio Division of the American Cancer Society in Columbus. Both are members of the Board of Trustees of the Ohio Division and in addition Bill is a member of the National Board of Trustees of the American Cancer Society. Bill Flynn has been extremely active in the State Society and will, in 1964, be in charge of the Ohio State Cancer Conference in Columbus.

A "Get Acquainted" Staff family picnic was held at Stitt Pavilion in Mill Creek Park. This is an annual affair to welcome the new house staff and their families. It was well-planned and very successful.

Drs. Ed Thomas and Al Geordan attended the yearly meeting of the North Central Branch of the American Urological Association in Chicago.

Congratulations to Dr. Tom Laird on becoming President of the North Side Kiwanis Club. Enthusiasm for flying continues and two new students are Drs. Robert Parry and Robert Foster.

—John G. Guju, M. D.

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Dr. Kurt Wegner, co-author of Bulletin Board, although too modest to mention it, is a candidate for the school board in Trumbull County. If elected, he will join a growing number of physicians in the Mahoning County Medical Society who have taken an active interest in education by becoming members of their local school boards.

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Wife Line

As I contemplate the dubious honor bestowed upon me, that of contributing to "Wife Line," I realize September is a month of ends and beginnings. The end of summer, which most of us do not look upon with favor, is the end of golf, swimming, tennis, sun-bathing, gardening, carefree meals grilled out of doors and a generally relaxed mode of living. Instead we have the beginning of school, for one thing, and this alone can keep parents occupied for some time. Whether your offspring is starting kindergarten or college there are certain necessary preparations. Ask any mother and she'll tell you of the endless shopping which must be done; ask any father and he'll tell you of the endless checks which must be written!

To compensate for the end of the many delightful activities we enjoyed in the summer, we have a rebirth of committee meetings, lectures and P. T. A. Volunteer work begins again on a full schedule, and then there are also the Auxiliary meetings and bowling.

The latter activity was begun again on September 11, and the league will continue to bowl every Wednesday morning at 10 a.m. at Champion Lanes. We miss some of our regular bowlers who were unable to work this into their schedule this year and hope they'll return another time. They are Nancy Hutt, June Fisher, Romaine Stillson, Beechie Bennett and Ann Gregg. We have some new and enthusiastic bowlers in Estelle Kravec, Jackie Boniface, Ruth Bruchs, Ellie Dentscheff and Mary Ann Kachmer. If you would like to substitute call Clarita Raupple and tell her. We guarantee a good time plus coffee and donuts.

I presume you were all at the Canfield Fair and saw the eyecatching exhibit sponsored by the Auxiliary? Lois Berg was the person responsible for this and for obtaining the personnel who attend the booth. I understand Ben painted the back-drop and signs and was generally helpful in setting up the display. To both Lois and Ben we say a big "Thank You." We also appreciate the services rendered by the student nurses, medical and X-ray technicians and auxiliary members. These include Becky Freidrich, Mollie McGregor, Juanita Gillis, Ruby Brown, Ginny Shorten, Romaine Stillson, Beulih Mae Inui and Kathy Petraglia.

The Auxiliary meeting in September was a lovely tea in honor of Dena Evans, President-elect of the Women's Auxiliary to the American Medical Association, and attended by over 100 guests, many of them state officers. President Carol Cook was hostess on this festive occasion, with ample help from Camilla Geordan, Ginny Detesco, Carol Wiltsie, June Fisher and Peggy Guju. The weather man provided a beautiful Autumn day which made it possible for the members and guests to sit on the Cook's spacious lawn and enjoy the program. Dr. Sidney Berkowitz, rabbi of Rodef Sholom Temple, was introduced by Ruby Brown. He delighted everyone with his humorous talk, "What Every Woman Should Know." I later overheard a comment to this effect, "He should give exactly the same talk for the husbands."

Tea was served indoors from a beautifully appointed table and the guests seemed to enjoy renewing acquaintances after the summer's holiday. We were happy to have present so many state and national officers, most of them old friends of Dena's: they were Mrs. H. T. Pease of Wadsworth Ohio, wife of the President of the Ohio State Medical Association, Mrs. John Dickey, Toledo, and Mrs. James M. Wychgel, Shaker Heights. President-elect and Vice President of the state auxiliary, also Mrs. C. A. Columbi of Cleveland,

a member of the national Board, Mrs. Frederick Rittinger, Cleveland Heights, Mrs. T. H. Smith, New London, Mrs. Edward Doerman and Mrs. Jeanette Gillette, Toledo, Mrs. C. H. Bell and Mrs. John D. Hazard, Gates Mills, Mrs. Hector C. McKnew, Newark, Mrs. Paul Jones, Zanesville, Mrs. V. T. Caval, Shaker Heights, Mrs. R. K. Ramsayer, Canton, Mrs. C. S. Goll, Steubenville, Mrs. A. S. Mack, Mt. Vernon, and Mrs. J. W. Loney and Mrs. Edward Bauman, Warren.

May I remind you that the regular October meeting has been cancelled because of the 6th Counselor District meeting which will be held in Warren on October 23rd. You may either go to Warren, register, and be transported by bus to Squaw Creek Country Club or go directly to the Country Club. The Trumbull County women always do a tremendous job of entertaining so let's all go and support them.

Eleanor Rappoport.

Oct. 17

J. Malkoff

Oct. 19

L. C. Zeller

Oct. 20

U. A. Melaragno

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R. J. Brocker

Nov. 4

K. J. Hovanic

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L. O. Gregg

Nov. 9

J. B. Birch

Nov. 10

Samuel Tamarkin

J. C. Melnick

Nov. 11

H. Schmid

R. G. Rohrer

Nov. 15

J. P. Kalfas

KING-ANDERSON PAMPHLETS READY

Operation Hometown pamphlets are now being distributed. Those doctors who have checked the activity sheet and returned it to the Medical Society will have the pamphlets delivered to their offices.

The pamphlets are: "To All My Patients," "Questions and Answers on Health Care for the Aged," "What Price Medical Care for the Aged?" "The Case Against Federalized Medicine," and "Write Your Congressman."

Any doctor wanting a set of pamphlets for his office, whether he has previously signed for for them or not, should call the Medical Society office.

Distribution is being made by members of the Medical Assistants Society of Mahoning County. The Medical Assistants have undertaken the distribution project as a service to the doctors of the Medical Society. The project is under the supervision of Mrs. Bea Collins, president of the Medical Assistants, and her committee. It was undertaken at the request of the Operation Hometown Committee, Dr. Jack Schreiber, chairman.

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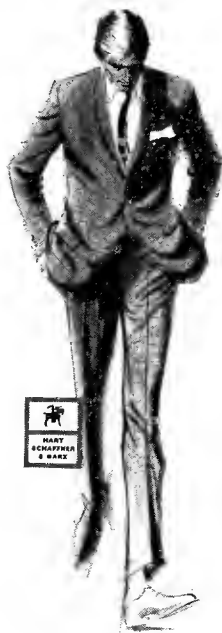
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"CONSULTATION" ON WEEKLY TV SCHEDULE

"Consultation," the popular television medical program, is now being seen on a weekly basis. The program appears on WKBN-TV, channel 27, every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

The program began as a radio program on WKBN in April of 1959, and has been heard once a week every week since that date. In October of 1961, the program began on TV on a once-a-month basis. The popularity of the program has prompted station officials to schedule it every week on television. The content of the program is controlled by the Mahoning County Medical Society, and members of the Society appear on every program. The only layman to take part is WKBN's knowledgeable John Moses, who acts as a traffic director by taking the calls and referring them to the proper physician for answer. Dr. Jack Schreiber, who originated the plan of the program, appears on each session as anchor man.

The Medical Society's other program, "Diagnosis," continues to be heard once a week at 8:05 on Tuesday's on WFMJ, with Mitch Stanley as moderator and Dr. John J. McDonough as number-one panel member. Dr. McDonough supervises the program content for the Medical Society. "Diagnosis" has been on the air since November of 1960.

Both programs are possible through the continued cooperation of Medical Society members who take the time to go to the stations and take part in the programs.

THANKS TO LYONS

The Mahoning County Medical Society thanks Lyons Physicians Supply for the service in transporting material to and from the Canfield Fair. The use of the Lyons' truck is an annual assist that the Medical Society depends upon and appreciates during Canfield Fair week.

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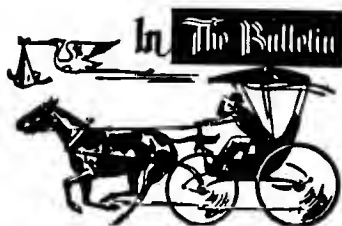
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THIRTY YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 1933

Schools were closed because of the polio epidemic. The Medical Society Council recommended that the Health Department pool all the blood donations received from convalescent cases and make the serum available to the doctors. The epidemic waned and nothing came of the proposal.

C. S. Lowendorf wrote a timely article on "The Management of Post-Paralytic Anterior Poliomyelitis."

Gordon Nelson had an article on "Avertin, A Basal Anesthetic." F. F. Monroe wrote interestingly about "Medicine In Panama."

A course of eight lectures in hematology by Drs. Doan and Wiseman of Ohio State University started that month. Fee for the course, three dollars.

Dr. G. B. Kramer held a "Clinico-Pathological Conference" at the South Side Unit. It was a new thing and more were planned. Doctors were invited to attend.

From S. Q. Laypius: "Headlines mention the 'Rebirth of the liquor business.' Well, that certainly won't be a dry labor."

TWENTY YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 1943

Dr. John Tucker of the Cleveland Clinic told the members that the new Penicillin was the most powerful anti-bacterial agent known.

The honor roll of doctors and nurses in the armed services took up four pages in the Bulletin. There were many letters:

Joe Colla in one year had been in Fort Sam Houston, then Camp Bowie Texas, then the dispensary at the Pentagon in Washington. From there he went on a special mission to South America, North Africa and Canada. He wrote from a camp in Virginia which he was not allowed to name where there were swimming pools, a golf course and a horse for each officer. John Noll was at Jefferson Barracks, Mo. Brack Bowman was at Laguna Beach near Los Angeles. Barclay Brandmiller was at Monterey, the old capital of California. Luke Reed was at Monroe, California. E. M. Chalker was at Las Vegas, Nevada. Herman Zeve was at Trinidad, B. W. I. Walter Tims was still in England, promoted to major.

McKelvey's store celebrated its 60th Anniversary by launching a project to sell \$300,000 worth of bonds to buy a bomber to be named "The Spirit of Mahoning County."

Bombers cost a lot more today. There were no rockets or guided missiles then. A satellite in orbit was only a dream in the imagination of some far-out physicist. An I. C. B. M. would mean only an impacted, constipated bowel movement to nurses and doctors instead of an instrument capable of widespread destruction.

TEN YEARS AGO—OCTOBER 1953

Physicians were concerned about the proposal to include them in Social Security. Disapproval was expressed by the A. M. A. house of delegates, the American Bar Association and the American Dental Association.

President Goodwin reported on a local survey of hospital expense. The

report showed that only 16 per cent of the hospital days were paid by the individual. The rest were paid by insurance, workmen's compensation, state or city, and Community Chest.

Editor Reese sounded off about doctors who have their Secretaries put through calls to other doctors and make them wait on the line until the caller is ready to talk. He said it was a breach of common courtesy.

Due to the truce in Korea it was promised that there would be no doctor-draft calls for 12 months.

Dr. Paul Kaufman died August 23rd. He was one of Youngstown's prominent surgeons and a fine character. Those of us who worked with him have many fond memories of his ability and warm personality.

At the September meeting a vote was taken to decide whether Wednesday or Thursday afternoon should be the official "afternoon off" for doctors. The vote was 113 to 64 in favor of Thursday.

J. L. F.

ASSISTANTS' DINNER NOV. 7

Thursday, Nov. 7th is the big night for the girls! This is the date of the annual Medical Assistants Dinner, when the doctor sends his office staff out for a night on the town. Each year this event has become "bigger and better," and this year, Dr. Sam Goldberg, chairman, promises the best yet.

The girls will be wined and dined at the Mural Room. There will be top entertainment and plenty of elegant door-prizes. The dinner will be on a Thursday night. Be sure that you arrange your schedule so that your girls can attend. Watch for the flyer announcing the details, and plan to send all your girls.

ART FOR HOPE'S SAKE

An art festival is being planned for Youngstown, with the profit from admission and the sale of pictures all to go to Project HOPE. The dates have been announced as Nov. 23 and Nov. 24. The plans are being formulated by a committee working with Dr. John J. McDonough. Further information will be presented in the next issue of the Bulletin.

IZVESTIA RECOGNIZES AMPAC

Izvestia, the Soviet Union's official newspaper, has finally taken note of AMPAC's existence. As it is an established fact that no organization amounts to much unless Izvestia has teed off on it, we believe our members will be as pleased as we are to receive this belated recognition.

The article, headlined "Medicine's Gangsters" is Izvestia's typically detached style, quotes the AFL-CIO News as saying that we got \$250,000 from the AMA in order to rig Congress "against a bill granting medical assistance to the aged."

It also says the AMA and AMPAC together spent \$7 million during the 1962 elections.

Coming from Izvestia, whose accuracy and objectivity are somewhat in question, this sort of thing is to be expected. But we thought the AFL-CIO News had better sense.

We are unworried by propaganda attacks from either source. And we think it's a feather in our cap if we bother Izvestia a little.

Meanwhile, we've come up with our own revolutionary slogan:

"Doctors of America, unite! You'll have nothing to lose if you don't."

Reprinted from Political Stethoscope,
Newsletter from AMPAC members.

OTHER FUNCTIONS OF THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT

The Division of Food and Meat Inspection of the Youngstown City Department of Health consists of a chief food and restaurant inspector and three assistants, a chief veterinary inspector and an assistant chief veterinary inspector. The chief food and restaurant inspector and one assistant food and restaurant inspector are Certified Public Health Sanitarians. Both veterinary inspectors are licensed to practice veterinary medicine in Ohio.

The local Youngstown ordinances apply to every type of food establishment. By statute, the Ohio Department of Agriculture annually licenses bakeries, bottling plants and canning factories. Similarly, by statute, the Ohio Department of Health supervises and regulates nursing homes, rest homes, homes for the aged, hospitals, restaurants, food service in schools, and vending machines. Numerous inspections are made by local personnel and reinspections when necessary. The veterinarians are employed in the supervision of the slaughter and processing of meat food products at six establishments located outside the city limits and deal with food consigned for retail sale in Youngstown and elsewhere. Fees are charged.

Our Division of Sanitary Police and Housing Inspection consists of a chief of sanitary police, five sanitary policemen and three housing inspectors, one of whom is a Certified Public Health Sanitarian. The sanitary police investigate all nuisance complaints, do routine inspections of yards and dwellings, inspect rooming houses, barber shops, swimming pools, schools, sewage disposal and commercial buildings and reinspect when necessary. They investigate dog and other animal bites and enforce the ordinances relating thereto, enforce the new weed ordinance, contact persons who fail to report to venereal disease clinics, investigate charity burials and deliver supplies to the Visiting Nurse Association and hospitals. The housing inspectors inspect rooming houses and dwellings to enforce the provisions of the housing ordinance. They reinspect for compliance when necessary.

In each of our divisions, it is our aim to obtain compliance with laws, statutes, ordinances and regulations by education. Enforcement by court action is the last resort.

Our Parochial School Health Service consists of a part-time physician and dentist and six full-time nurses. Routine medical examinations are performed on students in grades 1 and 6 and routine dental examinations in grades 2 and 6. Referrals are made to family physicians and dentists for the correction of defects. Health instruction is given by both the physician and the dentist, and classroom toothbrushing demonstrations are conducted in each grade 2 every year by the dentist. Tuberculin tests are administered each year and positive reactors are followed up. The nurses check for defects, including vision and hearing, skin conditions, contagion and immunization. Seventeen parochial schools are served in the City of Youngstown.

The staff of the Venereal Clinic of the Youngstown City Department of Health consists of a chief physician, two other physicians, a nurse from the Visiting Nurses Association, a clerk, an orderly and a janitress, all part-time employees. The clinic meets at South Side Unit, Youngstown Hospital Association, from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m., on Tuesdays and Fridays. In 1962, a total of 468 patients were seen and a total of 1,559 treatments were given. The services are available only to residents of Youngstown, who are referred by their family physician or our department. Cases and contacts are diligently followed. The city pays the hospital 50 cents per patient per clinic visit and charges each patient 50 cents per visit, if the patient is able to pay.

The Division of Weights and Measures also belongs to the Youngstown City Department of Health and consists of a chief sealer and an assistant

sealer. From January 1, 1963, to September 30, 1963, 2,510 inspections were made (exclusive of gasoline pumps and taxicabs) and \$2,451.00 collected in fees.

Numerous additional functions are carried out from time to time in co-operation with the Ohio Department of Health and other city departments. An example of this work were the mouth-to-mouth breathing resuscitation demonstrations with "Resusci-Ann".

Sidney Franklin, M.D.

Health Commissioner, City of Youngstown

WARNING TO ALL PHYSICIANS

Since the value of the dollar has decreased to less than 50 cents, you had better discard the old habit of telling your patients "You are as sound as a dollar" in describing their health, because if they take you at your word, you're actually telling them they are half dead.

MEDICAL ASSISTANTS SOCIETY OF MAHONING COUNTY PRESENTS

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October 27, 1963

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10:00-10:15—Welcome—Mrs. Beatrice Collins, President

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G. E. DeCicco, M. D.

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10:15-11:15—External Cardiac Massage

Speaker—Miss Helen Popa, R. N.

Guest—Resusci Anne

Film—"External Cardiac Massage"

11:15-12:00—Tour—Central Sterile Supply

Speaker and Guide—Miss Agnes Shea, R. N.

12:00- 1:00—LUNCH

1:00- 2:00—"Stapedectomy"

Speaker—L. O. Gregg, M. D.

Film—"Stapedectomy"

2:00- 2:45—"The Medical Social Workers Role in Care of Patients"

Speaker—Mrs. Marian Flury

2:45- 3:00—BREAK

3:00- 4:00—"Kidney Transplant"

Speaker—Robert B. McConnell, M. D.

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COMMITTEE STUDIES OMI PLAN

A committee to study the O. M. I. comprehensive insurance plan has been appointed by Dr. Randell, president. The committee consists of: Dr. S. F. Gaylord, chairman, Dr. H. J. Reese, Dr. R. V. Clifford, Dr. C. W. Stertzbach, Dr. A. T. Laird, Dr. S. C. Keyes, and Dr. A. E. Rappoport. The committee will report its finding at the Nov. 19 meeting of the Medical Society.

NEW CHILD LAW IN EFFECT

A new Ohio law requires all physicians to report cases of child neglect or abuse. Report is to be made to a municipal or county peace officer. The law provides immunity from civil or criminal liability to the physician making the report. It also provides a fine of \$5 to \$100 or imprisonment of one to ten days, or both for conviction of failure to make such a report. The law becomes effective Oct. 10, 1963.

NAVAL RESERVE DOCTOR WANTED

The Naval Reserve is looking for medical assistance. Any doctor of medicine holding a naval reserve commission, who is interested in affiliation with a reserve unit, may acquire the necessary information by calling Chief D. Campbell at the Reserve Training Center in Youngstown. His phone is 783-1050.

BOARD OF HEALTH BULLETIN

REPORT FOR AUGUST, 1963

	Resident		Non-Resident		Total
	M.	F.	M.	F.	
Births	114	89	155	119	477
Deaths	68	62	62	39	231
Infants Deaths	4	4	3	3	14

AUGUST, 1962

Births	97	90	127	114	428
Deaths	61	50	61	40	212
Infants Deaths	2		5		7

COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

	1963		1962	
	Cases	Deaths	Cases	Deaths
Chicken Pox	0	0	0	0
Measles	4	0	2	0
German Measles	0	0	0	0
Mumps	3	0	0	0
Polio	0	0	0	0
Scarlet Fever	0	0	2	0
Tuberculosis	4	1	6	1
Typhoid	0	0	1	0
Whooping Cough	0	0	0	0
Gonorrhea	32	0	25	0
Syphilis	4	0	3	0
Infectious Hepatitis	2	0	1	0
Rheumatic Fever	3	0	4	0

VENEREAL DISEASES

	Male	Female
New Cases		
Gonorrhea	19	12
Syphilis	1	4
Total patients		36
Total Visits (Patients)		191

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2. Don't forget to visit the Lyons exhibit booth on Postgraduate Day, Oct. 23rd.

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